



Therapeutic Recreation Services



Serving special people with special needs

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St Patrick's Dance

Thompson Park Community Center is GREEN all over! Come party the night away with the Leprechauns wearing your best green and white outfit. Light refreshments will be provided. Location: Thompson Community Center 555 Nickajack Rd, Mableton, GA 30126

Fee: \$10.00 Fri Mar 16 7:00- 9:00 PM



Atlanta Hawks Game

Come out and watch the Hawks take on the Cavaliers. Maybe we will see them make their way to the playoffs! Bring money for snacks and souvenirs. We will stay until game is over. Depart and return 1792 County Services Pkwy.

Fee: \$40.00 Wed Mar 21 6:00-10:30 pm

Guys & Dolls

Set in mythical New York City, this oddball romantic comedy - considered by many to be the perfect musical comedy – soars with the spirit of Broadway as it introduces us to a cast of vivid characters. Come along with gamblers Nathan Detroit and Sky Masterson as they try to find a spot for their infamous floating dice game! Our friend, Marc Wollam, has the leading male role in this play. Point of departure and return is 1792 County Svcs. Pkwy at times below.

Fee: \$20.00 Thur Mar 29 6:00-10:30 PM



Doris Sims Annual Spring Formal 2012

Join us at the Cobb Safety Village for our Annual Spring Formal. Our theme is "Walking the RED Carpet". Come dressed to impress! Professional photographs will be taken from 7:00 – 8:00 pm only by Sims Photography, so make sure you are there on time. Extra tickets are available for your date. Write full name of your guest on the registration form for our records at check-in. **King and Queen Contest:** Write 1-3 paragraphs on what TRS means to you and return to our office by April 1st. Winners will be crowned at the Formal. Location: 1220 Al Bishop Drive, Marietta, 30008.

Fee: \$35.00 Fri Apr 20 7:00-10:00 PM



Movie Night-Austell or Movie Night-Kennesaw

Meet us at the **Regal 22 Cinemas**
2480 E/W Connector, Austell 30106

or **Kennesaw Regal Cinemas 16** Town Center:
2795 Town Center Drive, Kennesaw 30144 at 6:30 pm. Pick up time will be 9:30 pm or later and will be confirmed by staff at drop off. Bring money if you would like to purchase snacks.

Fee: \$15 Tues Apr 24 6:30 – 9:30 pm



Mother's Day

TEA PARTY & LUNCHEON

Join us for a Mother's Day celebration Tea Party. Enjoy fun, fellowship and lunch. Don't forget to wear your favorite dressy hat. Meet at "Tea At Seven Springs" located in historical downtown Powder Springs @ 4456 Marietta St.

Fee: \$22.00 Sat May 5 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Spring Sleepover @ Hawthorn Suites

Bring your swimsuits and P.J.'s for a fun night of swimming, movies and popcorn with your friends. Check in at the Hawthorn Suites 3:00 pm. Supper on Friday and Breakfast on Saturday provided. Check out is 1:00 pm on Saturday. 1500 Hawthorn Cir SE, Atlanta. **Fee: \$35.00 Fri & Sat Jun 1 & 2**

Special Events & Classes by Ann Bonds
770-819-3257

TRS Spring Classes

Afternoon Bowling Enhance your skills while enjoying an afternoon of bowling. For safety reasons, participants should not arrive before staff and should be picked up by 4:00 pm. No outside food may be brought into the bowling alley. Location: Brunswick Zone, 2750 Austell Road, Marietta, GA 30060
Fee: \$ 30.00



Thu April 12 – May 17 2:00- 4:00 PM

TRS Spring Yoga Class



Have fun while building core strength, flexibility and balance. Yoga is for everyone, no matter your level of physical fitness or mobility. Bring an exercise mat and wear comfortable

clothing.

Location: Fullers Recreation Center: 3499 Robinson Rd. Marietta, 30067

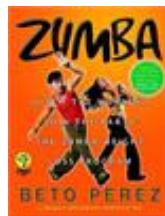
Fee: \$20.00 Mon Apr 9 - May 14 7:00 – 8:00 PM

Moovin & Groovin Dance Class



Get your body movin to the groovin music as you dance your way to a healthier you! Classes will be held at Thompson Park. **Fee: \$20.00**

Wed Mar 7-Apr 18 7:00- 8:00 PM



Zumba Class

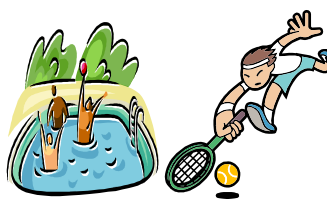
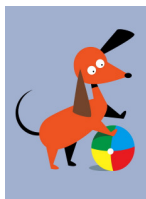
Zumba Fitness® is the only Latin-inspired dance-fitness program that blends red-hot international music, created by Grammy Award-winning producers, and contagious steps to form a "fitness-party" that is downright addictive. Classes will be held at Fair Oaks Recreation Center:

Fee: \$20.00 Wed Apr 25-May 30 6:30-7:30 PM

CAMP HORIZON 2012 DAY CAMP REGISTRATION

Serving Special People With Special Needs Ages 7-21

Camp Horizon is an indoor and outdoor camp which includes such activities as arts & crafts, nature, music, drama, sports & games, swimming, pet therapy and dance. We are not able to accept campers who require one-to-one care. All campers must bring lunch and drink every day unless otherwise notified. Camp is \$110 per week which includes weekly field trips and swimming. Returning camper online registration opens 10:00 am on 04/18/12. New camper online registration opens 10:00 am on 04/25/12. Walk-in registration accepted 10:00am-2:00pm on opening registration days at Thompson Park. New campers require a pre-registration assessment. To schedule an appointment, contact Ann Bonds at 770-819-3257 or ann.bonds@cobbcounty.org. For more information or go to: www.prca.cobbcountyga.gov
Camp Horizon will be held at the following locations: Fair Oaks Park, Fullers Park, & Lost Mountain Park





Social Clubs by Kevin Hill: 770-819-3256

Social Clubs are designed for ages 16 and up. Clubs are limited to 8-12 participants. Every quarter each club participates in 3 to 5 activities. Fees are charged on a quarterly basis. All new participants must be assessed prior to registration. Please call Kevin Hill at 770-819-3256 to schedule an appointment. **Fees: \$45.00 per quarter. Non-Resident Fee \$25.00**

Social Club Transportation when provided will depart from your local recreation center

Bowling

7:00-9:00

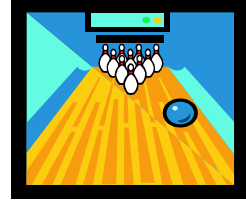
Meet us at your lane for a night of bowling, pizza and arcade fun!

Eagles – Brunswick XL (Formerly U.S. Play) 775 Cobb Place Blvd. Kennesaw

Cardinals – Brunswick Zone Marietta 2749 Delk Rd. Marietta

Thrashers – Brunswick Zone Austell 2750 Austell Rd. Marietta

Blue Jays – Stars and Strikes 2400 Hiram-Acworth Hwy Powder Springs



KSU Baseball

Let us take you out to the ballgame to watch the KSU Owls. Hotdogs and drinks provided.

Tuesdays 5:00- 8:30 pm or Saturdays 1:00-4:30- pm. (Check your group's schedule)

Depart from the recreation center



Shrine Circus

6:30-10:00 at Jim Miller Park - 2245 Callaway Rd. Marietta

It's Circus time again! Drop off and pick up in the parking lot located at the main gate facing Calloway Rd. Enter from Al Bishop Dr. (The gate we use for Special Pops Night) We will watch the circus then have some time to play games along the midway. Light refreshments will be served. Bring money for games.



Picnic/Nature Walk – 7:00-9:00 pm

Meet your group at the park listed below. We will enjoy a short nature hike followed by a picnic.



Eagles – Noonday Creek Park 489 Hawkins Store Rd. Kennesaw

Cardinals – East Cobb Park 3322 Roswell Rd. Marietta

Thrashers – Heritage Park 60 Fontaine Rd. Mableton

Blue Jays – Lost Mt. Park 4845 Dallas Hwy. Powder Springs



Spring Art Project

7:00-9:00 pm at the recreation center

Show off your creative side with a spring-themed art project. Light refreshments served.

EAGLES

Art Class 3/6
Bowling 3/19
Picnic 4/12
Circus 4/30
Baseball 5/15

THRASHERS #1

Bowling 3/12
Baseball 4/21
Circus 5/3
Art Class 5/8
Picnic 5/24

THRASHERS #2

Art Class 3/13
Bowling 3/26
Baseball 4/21
Circus 5/3
Picnic 5/24

CARDINALS #1

Bowling 3/8
Art Class 3/22
Baseball 4/14
Picnic 4/23
Circus 5/2

CARDINALS #2

Bowling 3/22
Baseball 4/14
Art Class 4/23
Circus 5/3
Picnic 5/21

BLUE JAYS #1

Baseball 3/10
Bowling 4/16
Circus 5/1
Picnic 5/7
Art Class 5/10

BLUE JAYS #2

Baseball 3/10
Bowling 4/9
Circus 5/1
Art Class 5/10
Picnic 5/14

Social Club Locations

North Cobb GOLDEN EAGLES: Shaw Park-Northeast Cobb Community Center: 3100 Jaycee Dr. Marietta, 30066 (Do not take the turn to the library go to next road, Brackett Rd., and turn by carwash across from the Marietta Fish Market)

West Cobb BLUE JAYS: Lost Mtn Park-Ward Rec. Center: 4845 Dallas Hwy., Powder Springs, 30127

East Cobb RED CARDINALS: Fullers Rec. Center: 3499 Robinson Rd., Marietta, 30067

South Cobb BROWN THRASHERS: Thompson Park: 555 Nickajack Rd SE, Mableton, 30126

Cobb County Parks, Recreation & Cultural Affairs Department: Therapeutic Recreation Services Unit

Our Mission and Purpose of Program

The Therapeutic Recreation Services Unit provides recreation and leisure opportunities for persons age 16 and older with developmental disabilities. The program strives for each participant to function at his or her highest level of ability in the least restrictive environment possible. The goals of the program are to increase socialization skills, community awareness and emotional and physical well-being. We want to teach new leisure skills through participation in structured recreation and leisure activities that are safe and fun.

POINTS TO REMEMBER! To assure the safety of our participants, individuals who purchase tickets to events without pre-registering through our Unit will not be allowed to join the group for any event or outing. Check in with staff before dropping off or picking up a participant at any event. If you register on-line, please let us know by e-mail or phone call so we can send your calendar of events.

TRS office: 555 Nickajack Rd, Mableton, GA 30126

Phone: 770-819-3215* fax: 770-819-3218

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Special Olympics GA - Cobb



Management Team Meeting is
the 3rd Monday of each month
at Thompson Park Community
Center, Mableton, GA

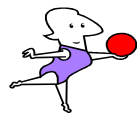


Cobb County...Expect the Best!

Local Spring/Summer Games
March 24, 2012
Larry Bell Complex
592 Fairground Marietta, 30060
1-6 pm

Schedule
Athlete Check In - 12:00 pm
Opening Ceremony - 1:00 pm
Competition – 1:30 pm

Volleyball*tennis*swimming*rhythmic gymnastics*table tennis*athletics (track & field)*soccer



SPECIAL OLYMPICS STATE SUMMER GAMES – MAY 18-20, 2012 EMORY UNIVERSITY

Special Olympics is a year round sports training and competition program designed for persons with intellectual disabilities at no cost to the participants. SOGA-Cobb offers 24 different sports for athletes to experience adapted to their ability to participate. Athletes may begin training at age six and are eligible to compete in state level competitions and beyond by age 8. They gain life skills and confidence in their athletic ability. Volunteers are also a vital part of making Special Olympics successful. If you are interested in participating as an athlete, coach, unified partner, or general volunteer, please contact our office or find more information at the following website: www.prca.cobbcountyga.gov SOGA-Cobb welcomes tax deductible contributions to our program.

Acworth Athlete Sharrod Vaughn Wins Shaw's Rug Challenge

Dalton, Ga. – January 10, 2012 – Shaw Industries Inc. announces Sharrod Vaughn as the winner of the Shaw Design-A-Rug Challenge, a creative competition that was open to all athletes who took part in the Special Olympics Georgia 2011 State Fall Games, Oct. 21 – 23. Vaughn, a 20-year-old Acworth, Ga. resident, who is autistic, has been a practicing artist for years, enjoying both drawing and painting in addition to a variety of other mediums. More than 70 drawings were submitted during the challenge. Sharrod's winning hand-drawn rug design was inspired by New York City graffiti and trains, two of his favorite subjects. Sharrod, who was born in New York and spent several years there, incorporates graffiti into many of his paintings.



TRS SPRING 2012 REGISTRATION FORM

Registration begins February 22, 2012; walk-ins taken from 10am-2pm. Mail registration form and payment to:
Cobb County Parks, Recreation & Cultural Affairs (CCPRCAD), TRS Unit / 555 Nickajack Road SE / Mableton, GA 30126

Participant Full Name	Birthdate		
Participant Residence Address	City	GA Zip	County
Participant Residence Phone	Caregiver cell phone		
Participant E-mail address			
Parent/Guardian Name/Address			
Parent Home Phone	Mother Work #	Mother Cell #	
Father Work #	Father Cell #	Alternate Emergency Contact #	
Parent E-mail address			

Do you pay city property taxes? (circle one) Yes or No Do you require wheelchair accessible transportation? (circle one) Yes or No

I am registering and paying for the programs indicated below.

# Social Club.....\$45 _____	# Atlanta Hawks Game.....\$40 _____
# Moovin & Groovin.....\$20 _____	# Guys & Dolls Musical.....\$20 _____
# Afternoon Bowling.....\$30 _____	# Doris Sims Annual Formal.....\$35 _____
# Yoga Class.....\$20 _____	# Movie Night Austell.... \$15 _____
# Zumba Class\$20 _____	# Movie Night Kennesaw\$15 _____
# St. Patrick's Day Dance\$ 10 _____	# Tea Party & Luncheon.....\$22 _____
# Sleepover.....\$35 _____	

Non-Resident Fee\$25 _____

Total Fee enclosed: \$ _____

SOCIAL CLUBS

# North Cobb-Golden Eagles _____	
# West Cobb-Blue Jays #1 _____	# West Cobb-Blue Jays #2 _____
# South Cobb-Brown Thrashers #1 _____	# South Cobb-Brown Thrashers #2 _____
# East Cobb-Red Cardinals #1 _____	# East Cobb-Red Cardinals #2 _____

Program information, brochures and other communication will now be sent via e-mail, make sure we have yours!

REGISTRATION POLICIES & PROCEDURES

Registration begins February 22, 2012- On line, walk-ins from 10am-2pm, or mail registration form and payment to:

Therapeutic Recreation Services, 555 Nickajack Road SE, Mableton, GA 30126 (Make checks or money orders payable

to: CCPRCAD) Don't forget that on line registration is available on our website through EZ REG. Go to:

www.prcacobbcountyga.gov frequently for program information and to reference the calendar.

Payment Policy: Full payment of program fees must be included with the registration form. No partial payments will be accepted. **We now accept MasterCard & Visa.** Please **do not** write your credit card number on the registration form to mail in. Credit card payments must be done on line, in person or over the phone. **Make checks and money orders payable to CCPRCAD** and put driver's license number on your check. **THERE WILL BE A \$25 FEE ON ANY CHECKS RETURNED UNPAID BY YOUR BANK.**

Non-Resident Policy: A mandatory \$25 non-resident fee will be charged to all out-of-county residents participating in this Cobb County program.

Refund Policy: Refunds will be issued only if TRS has not incurred costs due to purchase of tickets, rentals, supplies, refreshments, deposits, etc. Refund requests must be made a minimum of 5 work days before the program. Participants will not receive a refund or credit for any missed special events, social club events or other programs. Social Clubs and all TRS special events or classes must be PAID IN FULL. No Exceptions. Refunds will be processed at the end of the quarter.

Inclement Weather: If a program is canceled by the department due to weather, the program will be made up at a later date or refunds issued.

FOR STAFF USE ONLY

Total Amt. Paid \$	Receipt #	Check #	MC/Visa Authorization Code #
Name on Receipt	Date	Staff Initials	

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Our volunteers are a very valuable part of our program. If you are interested in helping with our programs, please complete this form and return it during registration on February 22, 2012.

****Background checks and general orientation must be completed prior to volunteering.***

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Employer: _____

E-mail _____

Please check the events / outings for which you would like to volunteer:

CLASSES

Yoga Class _____
Moovin & Groovin _____
Bowling _____
Zumba Class _____

SPECIAL EVENTS

St. Pat Dance _____
Formal _____
Sleepover _____

SOCIAL CLUBS

West Cobb/Lost Mtn Park-Blue Jays _____

North Cobb/Shaw Park-Golden Eagles _____

Central Cobb/Fair Oaks Park-White Hawks _____

East Cobb/Fullers Park-Red Cardinals _____

South Cobb/Thompson Park-Brown Thrashers _____

We will call Volunteers a week before the event to confirm. We are counting on YOU! If you cannot attend an event that you've signed up to volunteer for, please notify us as quickly as possible. Call Kevin Hill @ (770) 819-3256.

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